

Local Intelligence.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1879.

HUNTINGTON & RUTLAND RAILWAY  
J. H. WHITE, Agent.  
OFFICE: 100 N. BROAD ST., NEW YORK.

Train Leaves Manchester,  
SUNDAY NORTH.  
10:15 A. M.—Main.  
11:30 A. M.—Night Express.  
12:30 A. M.—Night Express.  
SUNDAY SOUTH.  
12:30 A. M.—Main.  
1:45 A. M.—Night Express.  
2:55 A. M.—Night Express.

Stage Route  
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—Seeing an account of what was supposed  
to be an uncommon big load of  
timber drawn by Henry Seaver, some  
of the boys have given the dimensions of  
a few of their ordinary loads. Ed Seaver,  
the other day, drew two hundred and  
sixty feet, running measure, one hundred  
and eighty feet of it at one load.  
Myron Taylor draws from twenty-five to  
thirty logs a day, last Saturday drawing  
thirty-one at two loads, making four hundred  
and three lineal feet, and it was not  
much of a day for drawing logs at that.

—There will be an oyster supper and  
social gathering at Mr. Baker's, Friday  
evening, Feb. 22.  
—Mr. S. Pratt of Boston spent a few  
days at the parsonage, last week. Mr.  
Snow, also of Boston, was their guest for  
a short time.

—Mr. Ira Sykes has been confined to  
the house and to his bed for some weeks.  
It is hoped he is improving. G. M.  
Sykes is on the sick list also, both being  
attended by Dr. Holly.

—In looking over some late California  
papers we discovered that our former  
townsman, J. V. Cheney, is winning good  
opinions there. His recent lecture on  
the subject of "Music, its place and  
power in the world," is very highly spoken  
of.

—We regret to learn that one of our  
citizens is leaving us. C. W. Stearns is  
about moving his goods to Manchester,  
to a mountain farm, known as the Daniel  
Wright place. His son, A. Stearns, is  
also moving to a farm near his father's,  
owned by Jay Whaley.

—We would inform the Landgrove  
correspondent that E. Wallace Bates has  
located in Winhall.

—The late Miss Dorcas Simonds willed  
\$500 to the Congregational society in this  
place, the interest of which is to go to the  
support of preaching.

—The near approach of the annual  
March meeting for the election of town  
officers occasions no small amount of  
brain work on the part of some to figure  
the balance of power and influence of  
"Myself in account with S. & H.," and  
judging from their care-worn countenances,  
their sentiment is, "Now is the winter  
of our discontent."

—The matrimonial market continues  
lively. A short time ago Mr. E. W. Arnold  
took to himself a better half from  
Factory Point. He was followed by  
Henry Ball who went to Mr. Holly to  
find his lady, and now Frank Stevens  
has gone to Boston for the same purpose.

—There is now some prospect that we  
shall have a cheese factory here the coming  
season. Mr. Winchester offers to  
move his factory from the south village  
if enough cows can be guaranteed him,  
and it is thought that there will be enough.

—The railroad excitement continues  
unabated. Public sentiment in this part  
of the town is very much opposed to being  
obliged to help build a road for the  
south part. The latest project started  
is to build a road from Chester to this place.  
It is thought with the aid of the railroad  
at Chester and to some which would be  
benefited by it, that such a road could  
be built and run without much difficulty.

—A sleighing party of thirteen couples  
from Windham took supper at the West  
River house, last Thursday.

—Abijah Cudworth and Ormando Wilber  
are the boss bark peelers, they having  
peeled and piled 12 cords and 45 feet  
of bark in three days.

—A large party assembled at the town  
hall, last week Wednesday, on a donation  
visit to the Rev. L. W. Wheeler. The  
net receipts amounted to a satisfactory  
sum.

—The school in Winhall hollow, taught  
by Miss Nora J. Johnson of Jamaica,  
closed a successful term of twelve weeks,  
Feb. 8th. Twenty scholars attended the  
school of these, Pearl S. Barnard, Addie  
M. Aldrich, Hattie E. Aldrich and  
Freddie O. Aldrich had no marks against  
their names.

—The exhibition last Friday evening  
drew a large audience. Both plays were  
well rendered. Some of the actors are  
deserving of honorable mention, and  
none more so than Mrs. Geo. S. Curtis,  
who has few equals as an amateur actress,  
and whenever she and Mr. C. A.  
Whitman, as Pat and Bridget, were on  
the stage the audience was convulsed  
with laughter. The pathetic parts of the  
drama were well rendered by Mrs. Dr.  
Woodward and Miss Martha E. Wilder;  
while in the "Farles of the green grove"  
Mrs. H. D. Tyler as an old maid and Mr.  
Irim B. Chase as an Irish woman could  
not be excelled; and Lulu Harrington  
and Bertha Whitman, little girls of ten  
and eleven years, who had leading parts,  
performed their role in a manner to draw  
forth encomiums from all.

—Albert Bowen, son of the late Lyman  
A. Bowen, came near losing his life the  
8th, while drawing wood with an ox  
team from the mountain for Lemuel King.  
The water had washed the road and a  
rude bridge had been built. A team  
driven by Patrick McCurdy had passed  
over the bridge, one of his oxen breaking  
through. Albert being behind him saw  
the break but while reeling his eyes upon  
his oxen to make them hold the load,  
made a mistake into the break, and before  
he could get out the team came upon him  
throwing him down, and he was caught  
and dragged under the sled three rods. He  
was discovered by McCurdy who stopped  
the team and with the aid of John Ball,  
who was working near, he was released,  
one leg being broken below the knee.  
People present say that the accident  
could not be repeated and he got out  
alive. But he in whose keeping is our  
life is able to save. Albert says Pat can  
unload wood as fast as any other man.

—Ransom D. Bly, one of our two  
snowmen, died on the 11th inst., after  
a very brief illness, aged 41 years.

—Three infants died in town last week.  
Paul J. Stillman, Arthur C. Jones and  
Ed. Mazon's.

—A gigantic surprise party met at Vic-  
tor Kendall's house at North Stephen-

town, Tuesday evening. About sixty  
people attended, nearly all from Berlin.  
Organs furnished the music.

—The congregation of the M. E. Church,  
Rutland have raised nearly enough money  
to purchase a new \$1,200 pipe organ.

—A teacher at West Randolph has been  
relieved of his charge, after threatening  
to smash the brains of his scholars with a  
fire shovel.

—Secretary Evans has just sold from his  
Windsor farm a yoke of oxen that weighed  
5,150 pounds; another that weighed  
4,851, and two cows that weighed 1,400  
pounds each.

—A Rutland clergyman occasionally reads  
a selected article Sundays instead of  
preaching a sermon.

—A Worcester husbandman carries the  
district school mistress to church in a  
sleigh, while his wife plods through the  
snow on foot.

—Several Middlebury students have or-  
ganized an eating club which bids fair to  
be a complete success.

—A Brattleboro organ company has re-  
ceived a large order for organs to go to  
Brazil.

—On Saturday, while Mrs. Charles M.  
Hazen of West Randolph, was breaking  
kindling wood, a stick flew up, putting  
out one of her eyes.

—The Hon. Levi Underwood, accompa-  
nied by two attendants, departed Mon-  
day from Burlington, for the insane as-  
ylum at Concord, N. H.

—Mrs. E. J. Champlin, who was committed  
to Middlebury jail with Deacon Smith,  
was released on her own recogni-  
tance, Saturday, there not being evi-  
dence enough against her to hold her.

—William H. Jaquith's saw mill and  
chair stock factory at Weston has been  
burned; loss, \$5,000; insurance, \$1,000.

—Hop raising proved a disastrous experi-  
ment in this state last season. As  
a general thing the rates realized did not  
cover the cost of picking, and many rais-  
ers have not yet sold their hops.

—Col. Hooker, who has been spending  
the winter in Washington with his family,  
writes to a friend that he will return to  
Brattleboro in time to take a hand in the  
approaching congressional "hair pulling."

—General Burgoyne's mess kettle, cap-  
tured at "Old Ti," is in the possession of  
A. P. Childs of Bennington. It is owned  
by a Mr. Langdon of Castleton, and is  
generous in its dimensions, weighing sev-  
eral hundred pounds.

—An exchange says: "It is just begin-  
ning to be suspected that the ravages of  
diphtheria in Burlington, during the past  
year have been due to the fact that the  
sewers discharge within the breakwater,  
while the water supply of the city comes  
from the same portion of the lake."

—The town of Rockingham, since Febru-  
ary 8th, 1877, has given aid to 1,172  
tramps, at an average expense 12 cents  
per head, or a total of \$140.64. They  
were entertained in the Bellows Falls  
lockup, but not very sumptuously.

—Editor Swain, of Bellows Falls, says  
"there are probably a hundred items of  
state expenses in which a saving may be  
made of from \$50 to \$500 each. This  
average alone would save a total to the  
state of \$30,000 annually."

—The famous case of the state v. Alice  
Haddock for assaulting Mr. Hatch, editor  
of the North Troy Palladium in May last,  
was heard by the Orleans county court  
now in session at Fraeburgh. The assault  
was made with a horsewhip, and Hatch  
pelted with red pepper and rotten eggs.  
The affair grew out of scandalous articles  
in the Palladium reflecting on the young  
lady's character. The respondent was  
fined twenty-five cents, the court consider-  
ing that this sum was all that it was  
worth.

—The Brattleboro Reformer wants Wind-  
ham county to name the successor to  
Congressman Denison, and, that innumera-  
ble rival candidates may be disposed of,  
it suggests that the people of every politi-  
cal stripe vote for the best man, informally,  
at the March town meetings. This  
would be the best way in its judgment  
of selecting a candidate for whom old Wind-  
ham could go solid. He would naturally  
be a republican, but the party lines would  
be wiped out and the county could glorify  
herself in him.

—The Brattleboro third special town  
meeting for the purpose of voting on the  
question of transferring fifty thousand  
dollars (the sum for which the town had  
bonded itself October last in aid of the  
Brattleboro and Whitehall railroad) to the  
new proposed narrow-gauge road from  
South Londonderry to Brattleboro, was  
held in the town hall Saturday after-  
noon with unusual excitement. Two  
hundred and sixty-six votes were cast,  
resulting in a favorable vote for the trans-  
fer by 108 majority. Two weeks ago  
the majority against the transfer was 71.  
The following officers compose the road's  
organization: C. F. Thompson, Brattle-  
boro, president; E. L. Waterman, Jamai-  
ca, vice-president; J. A. Butler, Jamaica,  
clerk and treasurer; Executive committee  
C. F. Thompson, J. L. Martin, Frank  
Goodhue. Should other towns along the  
line follow Brattleboro's example the  
road will be begun early in the spring.

—The residence of Mr. George Pease, in  
Charlotte, was burned to the ground  
Monday morning between 12 and 1  
o'clock, Mr. Pease and his family barely  
escaping with a few articles of clothing.  
There was no time to save anything. The  
fire took from an ash barrel. Loss about  
\$1,800; no insurance.

—Mr. David Foster of Weston, who was  
found dead in his bed a few days since,  
was born but a few rods from where he  
died, and has spent all his life in town.  
When over 70 years old he joined the  
Baptist church.

—A word fitly spoken is like apples of  
gold in pictures of silver." When the  
body becomes diseased, the mind is  
thereby necessarily influenced. National  
wars, state dissensions, neighborhood  
brawls, and family differences, are more  
frequently than otherwise the result of  
diseased and disordered constitutions.  
When the body is suffering, the mind,  
acting in sympathy, will become irritat-  
ed and perplexed. When the physical  
system is in health, the mind perceives  
things in their true light, and the disposi-  
tion assumes a very different phase.  
Nothing more directly tends to destroy

the happy, cheerful disposition of a woman,  
and render her peevish, nervous,  
and fretful, than a constant endurance of  
uterine disorders. The diseases peculiar  
to woman take away the elasticity and  
buoyancy of health and reduce her body  
and mind to a mere wreck. Dr. Pierce's  
Favorite Prescription is a real power-  
ful remedy. No woman suffering  
from uterine disorders can afford to be  
without this remedy. The Favorite Pres-  
cription saves unnecessary doctor bills,  
prevents divorces, wards off suicides,  
brings back buoyant, joyous feelings,  
restores the woman to health, and her  
family to happiness. It is sold by all  
druggists.

—Many persons say "I haven't got the  
Consumption" when asked to cure their  
Cough with Shiloh's Consumption Cure.  
Do they not know that Coughs lead to  
Consumption, and a remedy that will  
cure Consumption will certainly and  
surely cure a cough or any lung or throat  
trouble. We know it will cure when all  
other fail and our faith in it is so posi-  
tive that we will refund the price paid if  
you receive no benefit. Is not this a fair  
proposition? Price 10 cts. 50 cts. and  
\$1.50 per bottle. For name Cough, Back  
or Side, use Shiloh's Purine Plaster.  
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liver complaint, Constipation, and gen-  
eral debility when you can get at our  
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sell on a positive guarantee to cure you.  
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